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Dear Commissioner:

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Pursuant to the enclosed "Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted" dated March 8, 2002, enclosed are the following:

- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filing Date Granted (Part 2 Copy to be Returned with Response);
- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for each of the three named-inventors;
- Check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for filing the Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
- Five sheets of formal drawings (Figures 1-5).

Finally, and as noted on the enclosed Declarations, the residences of the named-inventors are as follows: Joseph C. Mase of Chicago, Illinois; Margaret Trinidad of Spring Grove, Illinois; and Scott Edwards of Libertyville, Illinois. All are United States citizens.



Response is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);



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